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TO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS:PFOR, PINR, MARR, TH

SUBJECT: SITUATION AT RAMASUN  
REF: BANGKOK 6239

1. AMBASSADOR WHITEHOUSE AND DEPT OFFS DISCUSSED THE SITUATION DESCRIBED IN REFTEL WITH MGEN. GEORGE GODDING, COMMANDER OF ASA, ON APRIL 16. GENERAL GODDING SAID THAT THE INVESTIGATION INTO ALLEGED IMPROPRIETIES AT RAMASUN WAS BEING PRESSED AND THAT THE RAMASUN C.O., COLONEL BROWN, WOULD BE INTERVIEWED BY CID INVESTIGATORS UPON HIS RETURN TO BANGKOK APRIL 17.

2. GENERAL GODDING STRESSED THAT AT THE PRESENT TIME THERE WERE ONLY ALLEGATIONS AGAINST THE RAMASUN C.O. AND HIS DEPUTY. GODDING SAID, HOWEVER, THAT IF THE INVESTIGATION SHOULD PRODUCE PROOF OF IMPROPER ACTIVITY, HE WOULD HAVE THE OFFENDERS IMMEDIATELY REPLACED. HE SAID THAT HE  
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ALREADY HAD A REPLACEMENT IDENTIFIED SHOULD COLONEL BROWN

HAVE TO BE TRANSFERRED.

3. WE WILL CONTINUE TO MONITOR THE SITUATION HERE AND  
AGREE THAT IN THE CURRENT THAI POLITICAL SITUATION, THERE  
MUST BE A SPECIAL EFFORT TO SEE THAT RAMASUN AND ALL OUR  
ACTIVITIES IN THAILAND ARE KEPT SCRUPULOUSLY CLEAN. KISSINGER

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